

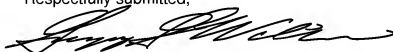
REMARKS

The Examiner is thanked for the careful examination of the application and for the increase in allowable claims from 9-12 to 9-16.

The Applicants have amended claim 13 to delete the wording "by an amount" which the Examiner felt made the claim indefinite.

In view of this amendment and the cancellation of all of the non-allowed claims the Applicants believe that the application is now in condition for allowance. Early notification of the same would be much appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,



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